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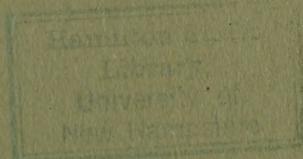
# Town of Lyndeborough

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ANNUAL REPORT FOR FISCAL  
YEAR *ending* FEBRUARY FIFTEEN

**1907**





ANNUAL REPORT  
OF THE TOWN OF  
LYNDEBOROUGH

COMPRISING THE REPORTS OF  
SELECTMEN, TREASURER, OVERSEER OF THE  
POOR, ROAD AGENT, LIBRARIAN, TREAS-  
URER OF LIBRARY FUND, SCHOOL  
BOARD, AUDITOR AND TOWN  
CLERK

FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING FEBRUARY 15

1907

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## SELECTMEN'S REPORT.

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FOR THE YEAR ENDING FEBRUARY 15, 1907.

Real estate,	\$192,726.00
Non-resident real estate,	43,520.00
Polls, 149,	14,900.00
Horses, 170,	10,342.00
Cows, 619,	14,994.00
Neat stock, 154,	2,250.00
Oxen, 12,	746.00
Sheep, 167,	612.00
Hogs, 4,	52.00
Fowls, 4,675,	1,956.00
Stock in trade,	16,346.00
Mills,	2,150.00
Stock in banks,	4,000.00
Money on hand or at interest,	1,100.00
Stock in public funds,	1,700.00
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	\$307,394.00

Amount of taxes levied for all purposes for the year 1906,  
\$5,225.69.

Tax rate, \$1.70.

### RECEIPTS.

Cash in treasury, February 15, 1906,	\$1,159.58
Received of:	
State treasurer, savings bank tax,	216.71
State treasurer, railroad tax,	76.22
State treasurer, literary fund,	61.61
C. H. Senter, on collection of 1905,	264.77

## Received of:

C. H. Senter, interest on collection of 1905,	\$8.50
C. H. Senter, on collection of 1906,	4,876.28
State proportion of school fund,	102.93
County, for paupers and soldiers,	229.50
E. H. Danforth for dog licenses,	128.40
Lafayette Artillery Company, for rent,	25.00
Andy Holt, for sale of histories,	448.40
State engineer, for state highway,	429.64
Town of Hopkinton, for support of Mrs. Burns,	24.75
Interest on Israel Cram fund,	16.00
Interest on town literary fund,	31.02
For sale of grass on Mrs. Chenery's place,	3.30
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Total receipts,	\$8,102.61

## DISBURSEMENTS.

Paid Solon A. Carter, state tax,	\$525.00
Arthur S. Healey, county tax,	410.70

## TOWN LIBRARY.

Paid D. Donovan,	\$100.00
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## SHEEP DAMAGE.

Paid William H. Clarke,	\$20.00
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## CEMETERIES.

Paid W. C. Carkin,	\$12.00
H. D. Gage,	2.50
S. A. Dolliver,	1.75
H. R. Chase,	1.50
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	\$17.75

## SEXTON SERVICES.

Paid J. C. Carkin,	\$6.00
W. C. Carkin,	12.88
W. H. Clarke, with hearse,	23.50
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	\$42.38

## BOARD OF HEALTH.

Paid W. S. Tarbell, goods for G. A. Long's family,	\$5.09
Dr. Cheever, fumigating house of Leon Draper,	4.00
Dr. Higgins, fumigating house of Mrs. Long,	2.00
	— \$11.09

## PUBLIC CHARITIES.

Paid Charles H. Senter, overseer of poor,	\$391.96
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## WATERING TROUGHS.

Paid William E. Richardson,	\$1.50
N. T. McIntire,	1.50
C. J. Cummings,	1.50
J. H. Goodrich,	1.50
I. Lowe,	1.50
	— \$7.50

## SUPPORT OF SCHOOLS.

Paid S. K. Swinington, treasurer,	\$1,400.00
S. K. Swinington, proportion of school fund received from state,	102.93
S. K. Swinington, supplies,	146.73
Charles H. Senter, repairs on house No. 4,	75.00
Colby Academy, tuition for Myrtle Richards,	12.00
Wilton High School, tuition Eugene Florentine, spring, 1905,	10.50
Wilton High School, tuition Lillian Dolliver, 1905-'06,	34.00
Wilton High School, tuition of Oliver Holt, 1905-'06,	34.00
Wilton High School, tuition Ruby Melendy, fall 1906,	7.50

Paid Wilton High School, tuition Harry		
B. Herrick, fall 1906,		\$7.50
Wilton High School, tuition Everett C. Joslin, fall 1906,	7.50	
Wilton High School, tuition Alice Cheever, fall 1906,	7.50	
Wilton High School, tuition Florence Reilly, fall 1906,	7.50	
		\$1,852.66

## HIGHWAYS AND BRIDGES.

Paid Edward L. Curtis, road agent,	\$792.48	
Edward W. Dolliver for state highway,	1,146.70	
		\$1,939.18

## BREAKING ROADS,

From February 15, 1906, to February 15, 1907.

Paid Edward L. Curtis, with roller,	\$22.40	
Emery Holt, with roller,	25.20	
D. P. Hartshorn, with roller,	10.00	
James Putnam, with roller,	10.00	
W. C. Wilder,	10.00	
F. A. Richardson,	7.50	
Edward L. Curtis,	10.92	
W. S. Hadley,	9.75	
F. E. Cummings,	7.50	
M. C. Fuller,	6.90	
W. H. Clarke,	4.80	
H. J. Richardson,	4.42	
C. J. Cummings,	3.49	
H. D. Gage,	2.85	
J. E. Parry,	2.78	
Warren Nichols,	2.75	
Dana B. Whittemore,	2.70	
P. E. Holden,	2.25	
F. E. Reynolds,	2.25	

Paid J. P. Proctor,	\$1.80
H. H. Joslin,	1.80
George T. Hutchinson,	1.65
J. M. Curtis,	1.60
C. H. Senter,	1.50
J. E. Dolliver,	1.20
Fred A. Holt,	1.15
J. H. Goodrich,	.77
M. B. Richards,	.65
Fred Moore,	.50
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	\$161.08

## MISCELLANEOUS.

Paid A. M. Emmes, printing town reports,	\$23.25
Jason Holt for Decoration Day,	30.00
Charles H. Senter, abatements on list of 1905,	7.63
B. H. Joslin, repairs on Citizens' Hall,	.70
Andy Holt, books and stationery,	6.12
For steel roller,	100.00
E. A. Danforth, freight on roller,	10.50
E. L. Curtis, repairs on road machine,	8.50
B. H. Joslin, police, expenses to Concord,	3.00
B. H. Joslin, police, expenses to Grasmere,	6.85
Bradley Tay, overtax,	1.70
W. A. Hatt, overtax,	1.70
J. H. Goodrich, keeping tramps,	.50
E. A. Danforth, returning vital statistics,	11.60
E. A. Danforth, returning births and deaths,	6.50
E. A. Danforth, recording births and deaths,	5.50

Paid E. A. Danforth, postage and stationery,	\$1.98
C. H. Tarbell, mileage and postage,	6.73
C. H. Tarbell, postage and mailing reports,	1.75
C. H. Tarbell, printing circulars for History Committee,	2.25
	———— \$236.76

## TOWN OFFICERS.

Paid Andy Holt, services as selectman and cash paid out,	\$70.50
E. W. Dolliver, services as selectman and cash paid out,	60.00
George T. Hutchinson, services as selectman and cash paid out,	50.00
A. W. Putnam, moderator,	4.00
Charles H. Senter, tax collector, 1905,	60.00
E. A. Danforth, town clerk,	20.00
Charles H. Tarbell, town treasurer,	25.00
S. Kate Swinington, services on school board,	35.00
S. Kate Swinington, treasurer of school board,	10.00
Alice M. Chase, services on school board,	30.00
Ella R. Holt, services on school board,	25.90
Ella R. Holt, services as truant officer,	3.00
Charles H. Senter, overseer of poor,	20.00
Charles H. Senter, ballot inspector,	2.00
J. E. Dolliver, ballot inspector,	2.00
Fred A. Holt, ballot inspector,	2.00
Fred A. Holt, supervisor, 1905-'06,	15.00
A. A. Melendy, supervisor, 1905-'06,	15.00

Paid John A. Spalding, supervisor, 1905-'06,	\$15.00
Walter B. Stewart, janitor,	3.30
A. K. Shepard, ballot inspector,	2.00
W. S. Tarbell, auditor,	3.00
Andy Holt, board of health,	3.00
	———— \$475.70

## NOTES AND INTEREST PAID.

Paid E. A. Cram, note and interest,	\$301.25
Jason Holt, note and interest,	156.00
E. A. Danforth, interest,	60.00
F. A. Richardson, interest,	28.00
Belle L. Boutwell, interest,	20.00
I. B. Curtis, interest,	20.00
Senter & Tarbell, trustees, interest,	22.75
Bertha A. Cheney, interest,	14.00
Susie E. Cheney, interest,	14.00
John C. Richardson, interest,	10.00
Hannah J. Richardson, interest,	10.00
Rhoda Blanchard, interest,	10.00
N. T. McIntire, interest,	6.00
Congregational Society, interest,	10.00
Georgie Miller, interest,	4.00
Israel Cram Fund, interest,	16.00
Town Literary Fund, interest,	25.02
	———— \$727.02

## DEMANDS AGAINST THE TOWN.

Edgar A. Danforth, note,	\$1,500.00
Fred A. Richardson, note,	700.00
Belle L. Boutwell, note,	500.00
Isaiah B. Curtis, note,	500.00
Town Literary Fund, note,	625.50
Israel Cram Fund, note,	400.00
Bertha A. Cheney, note,	350.00
Susie E. Cheney, note,	350.00
Hildreth Charity Fund, note,	650.00

Treasurer Congregational Society, note,	\$250.00
Rhoda R. Blanchard, note,	250.00
Hannah J. Richardson, note,	250.00
John C. Richardson, note,	250.00
Nathaniel T. McIntire, note,	150.00
Georgie A. Miller, note,	100.00
	—————\$6,825.50

## AVAILABLE MEANS.

Cash in treasury, February 15, 1907,	\$1,183.83
Due from collector,	349.41
	—————\$1,533.24
Town debt, February 15, 1907,	\$5,292.26
Town debt, February 15, 1906,	5,851.16
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Decrease in town debt,	\$558.90

## REPORT OF THE TOWN TREASURER.

FOR THE YEAR ENDING FEBRUARY 15, 1907.

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Cash on hand, February 15, 1906,	\$1,159.58
Received from:	
State, savings bank tax,	\$216.71
State, railroad tax,	76.22
State, literary fund,	61.61
State, proportion of school fund,	102.93
Charles H. Senter, on collection of 1905,	264.77
Charles H. Senter, interest on collec- tion of 1905,	8.50
Charles H. Senter, on collection of 1906,	4,876.28
County, for paupers and soldiers,	229.50
E. A. Danforth, for dog licenses,	128.40
Lafayette Artillery Company, rent,	\$25.00
Andy Holt, for sale of histories,	448.40
State engineer, for state highway,	429.64
Town of Hopkinton, for support of Mrs. Burns,	24.75
Interest on Israel Cram fund,	16.00
Interest on town literary fund,	31.02
Sale of grass on Mrs. Chenery's place,	3.30
	—————\$6,943.03
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Total cash received,	\$8,102.61
Paid orders of the selectmen amounting to	6,918.78
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Balance in the treasury, February 15, 1907,	\$1,183.83
Respectfully submitted,	
CHARLES H. TARBELL,	
Town Treasurer.	

## REPORT OF OVERSEER OF THE POOR.

FOR THE YEAR ENDING FEBRUARY 10, 1907.

Received from town treasurer, \$391.96

### TOWN CHARGE.

Paid Hillsborough County, for board of Mrs. Mary Chenery, 53 2-7 weeks, at \$2.50 per week,	\$133.21
Dr. C. E. Higgins, for medical aid for William B. Raymond,	4.50
	— \$137.71

### COUNTY CHARGE.

Paid W. S. Tarbell, bill of goods for Fred E. Carkin and family,	\$124.58
S. McClintock, burial of Wallace Smith,	20.00
Walter Ordway, care of Smith,	8.00
Dr. C. E. Higgins, medical aid for Mrs. Valcourt,	4.50
Aid furnished dependent soldiers' families,	97.17
	— \$254.25

Total amount paid out, \$391.96

Respectfully submitted,

CHARLES H. SENTER,  
*Overseer of the Poor.*

Received for grass on Chenery place,	\$5.00
Paid Taxes,	\$1.70
Town treasurer,	3.30
	— \$5.00

This certifies that I have examined the foregoing reports of the selectmen, treasurer and overseer of poor, and find them correctly cast and properly vouched.

WALTER S. TARRELL,  
*Auditor.*

## ROAD AGENT'S REPORT.

E. L. CURTIS.

Whole amount of money drawn,	\$792.48
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April:	
Paid E. L. Curtis, 2 days' work at \$2.00 per day,	\$4.00
E. L. Curtis, with team, 5½ days at \$4.00,	22.00
W. E. Richardson, 7½ days at \$1.50,	11.25
Emery Holt, 6 days, with team, at \$4.00,	24.00
A. K. Shepard, 6 days at \$1.50,	9.00
E. G. Curtis, 5 days at \$1.50,	7.50
John Nichols, 5 days at \$1.50,	7.50
D. P. Hartshorn, 2 days, with team,	8.00
P. W. Putnam, 4 hours, at 15 cents per hour,	.60
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	\$93.85
May:	
Paid E. L. Curtis, 3½ days at \$2.00,	\$7.00
E. L. Curtis, 12 days and 6 hours, with team,	50.40
F. W. Clark, powder and fuse,	.75
J. A. Blanchard, with team,	.50
A. H. Hayford, ½ day, leveling,	.75
Isaac Lowe, 14 loads gravel, at 10 cents,	1.40
G. T. Hutchinson, ½ day, leveling,	.75
Curtis P. Mason, 1 day, leveling,	1.50
G. L. Carson, ½ day, leveling,	.75
Cash, bolts and oil for machine,	.50
F. A. Richardson, work with team,	.60
Emery Holt, 1 day on scraper,	4.00
A. K. Shepard, 15 days and 1 hour,	22.65
E. G. Curtis, 12 days and 6 hours,	18.90
D. P. Hartshorn, 12 days, 6 hours, with scraper,	50.40

Paid John Nichols, 15 days, 1 hour, leveling,	\$22.65
John Nichols, 1 day on machine,	2.00
Jason Holt, 1 day, with team,	4.00
F. E. Reynolds, 6 days, with team,	24.00
Walter Stewart, 2½ days, leveling,	3.75
W. E. Richardson, 7 days and 6 hours,	11.40
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	\$228.65

## June:

Paid E. L. Curtis, 10 days' work at \$2.00,	\$20.00
E. L. Curtis, 9 days' work, with team,	36.00
W. A. Manzer, repairs on machine,	.95
E. W. Dolliver, repairs on machine,	.25
C. H. Rich, 4 hours, at 15 cents,	.60
Jason Holt, blasting stone,	1.00
G. T. Hutchinson, ½ day,	.75
C. B. Smith, repairs on machine,	1.95
H. H. Joslin,	2.50
E. G. Curtis, 16 days and 6 hours,	24.90
John Nichols, 18 days and 1 hour,	27.15
D. P. Hartshorn, 14 days, 8 hours, on scraper,	59.20
Walter Stewart, 2½ days,	3.75
H. J. Richardson, 2 days, with team, carting,	8.00
J. A. Spalding, 5 days, 3 hours,	7.95
Bert Lynch, 12 days,	18.00
W. C. Wilder, 9 days, 8 hours, on scraper,	39.20
W. C. Wilder, 9 hours, cutting bushes,	1.35
Ed. Hall, ½ day, leveling,	.75
W. E. Richardson, 5 days, 8 hours, leveling,	8.70
Emery Holt, 7 days, with team, on scraper,	28.00
F. A. Pettingill, work with team, carting,	9.75
A. K. Shepard, 4 days, leveling,	6.00
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	\$306.70

## July:

Paid E. L. Curtis, 3½ days, raking stone,	\$7.00
E. L. Curtis, 2 days, with team, carting,	8.00

Paid N. T. McIntire,	\$2.00
John Nichols, 4 days, raking stone,	6.00
E. G. Curtis, 2 days, raking stone,	3.00
A. K. Shepard, 2 days, raking stone,	3.00
D. P. Hartshorn, 2 days, with team, carting,	8.00
W. E. Richardson, 5½ days, raking stone,	8.25
J. A. Spalding, ½ day,	.75
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	\$46.00

## August:

Paid E. L. Curtis, 3½ days, raking stone,	\$7.00
J. F. Stearns, 6 days, cutting bushes,	9.00
J. F. Stearns, 1 day, laying over culvert,	1.50
E. G. Curtis, 1½ days, raking stone,	2.25
W. E. Richardson, 2 days, raking stone,	3.00
John Nichols, ½ day, raking stone,	.75
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	\$23.50

## September:

Paid E. L. Curtis, 3 days, raking stone,	\$6.00
H. J. Richardson, 20 hours, cutting bushes,	3.00
D. P. Hartshorn, 36 hours, raking stone,	5.40
A. A. Melendy, 23 hours, raking stone,	3.45
Taylor & Cilley, bridge plank,	16.74
E. E. Cummings, 6 hours, cutting bushes,	.90
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	\$35.49

## October:

Paid E. L. Curtis, 1 day, planking bridge,	\$2.00
E. L. Curtis, 2½ days, with team, carting,	10.00
C. L. Avery, 1 day,	1.50
A. K. Shepard, 3 days,	4.50
Walter Shepard, 2 days,	3.00
Emery Holt, 1 day, carting,	4.00
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	\$25.00

November:

Paid E. L. Curtis,	\$1.80
E. L. Curtis, 2 days, with team, carting,	8.00
A. K. Shepard, $\frac{1}{2}$ day,	.75
G. T. Hutchinson, raking stone and carting,	8.19
Ira R. Brown, $2\frac{1}{2}$ days, cutting bushes,	3.75
E. W. Dolliver,	2.25
G. A. Standley, $\frac{1}{2}$ day,	.75
S. A. Dolliver, 7 hours,	1.05
W. E. Farmer, raking stone,	6.75
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	\$33.29

## REPORT OF MONEY EXPENDED ON STATE ROAD.

Town appropriation, 1905-'06,	\$870.00
State appropriation, 1905-'06,	521.40
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	\$1,391.40
Paid E. W. Dolliver, 43 days, at \$2.50	
per day,	\$107.50
W. H. Dolliver, 44 days, at \$1.75,	77.00
S. A. Dolliver, 20 days,	36.75
J. E. Dolliver, $34\frac{1}{2}$ days,	60.38
D. P. Hartshorn, $15\frac{1}{2}$ days, at \$1.75,	26.69
D. P. Hartshorn, 22 days, $7\frac{1}{4}$	
hours, at \$4.00,	90.90
H. D. Gage, 43 days, at \$1.75,	75.25
Perl Holden, $35\frac{3}{4}$ days, at \$1.75,	62.55
Perl Holden, 3 days, $3\frac{1}{4}$ hours, at	
\$4.00,	13.30
Frank Reynolds, 34 days, 7 hours,	60.70
John Spalding, 36 days, 8 hours,	
at \$4.00,	147.20
Erwin Cummings, $17\frac{1}{2}$ days, at \$1.75,	30.62
Frank Bishop, $23\frac{3}{4}$ days, at \$1.75,	41.56
Fred Holt, 8 days, at \$4.00,	32.00
Frank Baxter, 5 days, at \$1.75,	8.75

Paid Robert Mason, 2 days, at \$1.75,	\$3.50
Elmer Blanchard, 17 days, at \$1.75,	29.75
George Ross, 9½ days, at \$1.75,	15.72
George Hutchinson, 13 days, at \$2.50,	32.25
Frank Pettingill, 8¾ hours, at 40	
cents per hour,	3.50
For dynamite,	21.02
For use of tools,	4.00
For sharpening tools,	15.00
For gravel,	20.00
W. S. Tarbell, lanterns, oil, etc.,	4.07
For poles for roller,	1.25
For pins for railing,	4.00
For poles for railing,	3.00
For pick handles,	.60
State engineers,	117.89
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	\$1,146.70
Balance unexpended,	\$244.70
Due from state,	\$91.76
Due from town,	\$152.94

This certifies that I have examined the foregoing report of the road agents, and find them correctly cast.

WALTER S. TARBELL,  
*Auditor.*

## LIBRARIAN'S REPORT.

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*To the Trustees of the Lyndeborough Public Library:*

The librarian respectfully presents the following report for the year ending February 15, 1907:

Total number of books in the library, Feb. 15, 1906,	1,358
Added during the year,	103

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Total number in library Feb. 15, 1907,	1,461
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Number of books loaned for year ending February 15, 1907, as follows:

Fiction,	947
Juvenile fiction,	304
Travels,	38
History,	32
Biography,	12
Art, Science and Natural History,	22
Miscellaneous,	24

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Total,	1,379
Average each library day,	13
Amount received in fines,	\$1.38

Respectfully submitted,

WALTER S. TARBELL,

*Librarian.*

REPORT OF TREASURER  
OF LYNDEBOROUGH PUBLIC LIBRARY FUND FOR THE YEAR  
ENDING FEBRUARY, 1907.

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RECEIPTS.

1906		
Balance from last year,		\$35.59
Town appropriation for present year,		100.00
From fines,		1.38
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Total receipts,		\$136.97

PAYMENTS.

1906		
October 4 Expressage on papers and pamphlets,		\$0.25
1907		
Librarian's services,		45.00
Librarian's supplies, postage, etc.,		1.96
Charles E. Lauriat Company, for books,		89.09
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Total of payments,		\$136.30
February 15, 1907, balance remaining,		\$0.67

D. DONOVAN,  
*Treasurer.*

This certifies that I have examined the foregoing report of the treasurer of the library, and find it correctly cast and properly vouched.

WALTER S. TARBELL,  
*Auditor.*

## REPORT OF SCHOOL BOARD.

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To the citizens of Lyndeborough interested in our common schools, we present the following report:

At the annual meeting of the school district, Alice M. Chase was reëlected a member of the school board for a term of three years and S. Kate Swinington, treasurer, for one year.

It was voted that \$1,400 be the sum to cover all appropriations for support of schools, and \$75 for repairs on school buildings at North Lyndeborough.

### SCHOOL BOARD.

Mrs. S. Kate Swinington, chairman and treasurer; Mrs. Alice M. Chase, secretary, with care of supplies; Mrs. Ella R. Holt, truant officer.

Five schools have been in session during the school year, and two terms of school in North Lyndeborough.

It has been our misfortune to be forced by circumstances over which we had no control, to make an unusual number of changes in our teachers, and for this reason have employed twelve teachers instead of six; in some cases the change has come about by the resigning of teachers, and in some it was deemed advisable to make a change for the good of the schools.

We have entered somewhat upon the work of grading our schools to a certain extent, and while it may tax the patience of all concerned until the plan has matured, we believe it will be a lasting benefit if the work is carried out.

We believe our teachers, as a rule, have been conscientious, and have done thorough work and the large per cent. of our pupils have worked with them.

Your committee requested the pupils in what would be

about seventh-grade work to write a letter containing about two hundred words, and many of the letters reflected credit upon the writer and pleasure to the receiver, and we thank the children for the effort and the result.

The patience of your committee is especially tried by those who allow their children to stay out of school so many sessions. That parent who does not insist upon regular attendance and aid the same, shows a lack of judgment and good sense, and deliberately robs the child of their rightful inheritance, and farther than that, imposes upon the taxpayer, whose money is used for what should be a benefit to every child.

We could, if in good taste, name several who show an open disregard for the laws of school and state, as well as to the welfare and intellectual training of their children.

We believe our children will compare favorably with the children of other towns, but they are severely handicapped by the indifference of their parents.

We are glad to be able to say that we hear good reports from pupils who attend school out of town; wish them success and encourage them in their work. In most cases where we show a child that we have confidence that they will succeed, putting them upon their honor, they will not disappoint us.

The best there is in educational advantages is none too good for your children. The greatest inheritance children can receive is a sound education, for that enables them to face the world with the knowledge within that they have the weapons with which to carve just such a destiny as their ambitions dictate.

You endeavor to see that your girl and boy is properly clothed and fed; also look to it that their intellect is clothed and fed with the best you have to give.

The winter term of school was somewhat broken throughout the town by sickness among the pupils, and the school at the Center was closed on account of the illness of the teacher.

Again we not only invite, but urge you to visit your schools and see for yourselves just what is being done. All days are visiting days and your teacher is always at home to company. Call often when regular work is going on, and see what we are doing.

We had the good fortune during the past year to receive from the state equalization fund the sum of \$102.93, to be used for the benefit of schools; it is said fortune and misfortune sometimes go hand in hand, and while we had the good fortune to receive this money we have had the misfortune to have one of our school buildings destroyed by fire.

In closing, we again ask for your financial support and your interest in the work.

Schools will open again Monday, April 1, unless further notice is given.

We thank all from whom we have received courteous treatment and favors.

Respectfully submitted,  
 S. KATE SWININGTON,  
 ALICE M. CHASE,  
 ELLA R. HOLT,  
*Members of School Board.*

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#### ROLL OF HONOR.

##### CENTER.

Spring Term.—Bessie E. Herrick, Nellie Long, Cora Warren, Grace Reilly, Florence Reilly, Levi Joslin, George E. Warren, Willie Long, Gilbert Reilly.

Fall Term.—Ethel Reilly, Gilbert Reilly.

Winter Term.—Grace Reilly, Ethel Reilly, Olive Reilly, Fred E. Edmons, Chester S. Minot.

##### SOUTH.

Spring Term.—George Carkin, George Hayford, Warren Hayford, Perry Joslin, Albert Joslin.

Winter Term.—School not closed.

## SOUTHWEST.

Spring Term.—Edith E. Pettengill, Lottie E. Pettengill, Arthur G. Eastman.

Fall Term.—Edith E. Pettengill, Lottie E. Pettengill.

## JOHNSON CORNER.

Spring Term.—Ethel Shepard.

Fall Term.—E. Clarabel Swinington.

## SCHOOL STATISTICS.

Name of school and terms.		Name of teacher.	Weeks of school.	Wages per month.	Number of pupils.	Males.		Females.		Average attendance.	Visits by committee.	Visitors.
Center.	Spring..	Fall....	Winter									
Center.	Spring..	Harriet E. Tuttle.....	12	\$32.00	19	10	9	17.	5	31		
	Fall....	Harriet E. Tuttle.....	12	32.00	26	13	10	17.33	4	14		
	Winter	Harriet E. Tuttle.....	7	32.00	18	13	8	12.87	1	13		
South.	Spring..	Bertha T. Parker.....	12	32.00	24	16	8	21.48	6	47		
	Fall....	Mabel G. Rice.....	7	32.00	26	13	10	.....	.....	.....		
	Winter.	Matilda Clement.....	14	32.00	27	16	11	*	.....	.....		
South- west.	Spring..	Martha M. Whitney.....	12	26.00	10	6	4	8.	4	13		
	Fall....	Belle Duncan.....	12	28.00	11	6	5	8.1	5	19		
	Winter.	Belle Duncan.....	7	28.00	9	5	4	7.6	2	3		
Perham Corner.	Spring..	Abbie E. Kendall.....	11	28.00	16	9	7	12.23	5	44		
	Fall....	Nellie Brown.....	12	30.00	14	8	6	12.54	7	23		
	Winter.	Jennie Menut.....	9	28.00	13	7	6	10.48	4	17		
Johnson Corner.	Spring..	Annie M. Curtis .....	11	28.00	11	5	6	7.92	5	31		
	Fall....	Annie M. Curtis .....	12	28.00	10	4	4	7.	6	9		
	Winter.	Annie M. Curtis .....	8	28.00	8	6	4	6.2	1	2		
North.	Spring..	Eugenie Florentine.....	11	26.00	12	7	5	7.02	5	47		
	Fall....	Isabel Menut.....	12	26.00	13	7	6	6.11	3	12		

\* School not closed.

## REPORT OF TREASURER OF SCHOOL BOARD

FOR THE YEAR ENDING FEBRUARY 15, 1907.

## TEACHERS' SALARIES, SPRING TERM.

Center School, Harriet E. Tuttle, 12 weeks, at \$8.00,	\$96.00
South School, Bertha T. Parker, 12 weeks, at \$8.00,	96.00
Southwest School, Martha M. Whitney, 12 weeks, at \$6.50,	78.00
Perham Corner School, Abbie E. Kendall, 11 weeks, at \$7.00,	77.00
Johnson Corner School, Annie M. Curtis, 11 weeks, at \$7.00,	77.00
North School, Eugenie Florentine, 11 weeks, at \$5.50,	60.50
	———— \$484.50

## TEACHERS' SALARIES, FALL TERM.

Center School, Harriet E. Tuttle, 12 weeks, at \$8.00,	\$96.00
South School, Mabel E. Rice, 7 weeks, at \$8.00,	56.00
Southwest School, Belle Duncan, 12 weeks, at \$7.00,	84.00
Perham Corner School, Nellie Brown, 12 weeks, at \$7.50,	90.00
Johnson Corner School, Annie M. Curtis, 12 weeks, at \$7.00,	84.00
North School, Isabelle A. Menut, 12 weeks, at \$6.00,	72.00
	———— \$482.00

## TEACHERS' SALARIES, WINTER TERM.

Center School, Harriet E. Tuttle, 7 weeks, at \$8.00,	\$56.00
South School, Matilda Clement, 14 weeks, at \$8.00,	112.00

Southwest School, Belle Duncan, 7 weeks, at \$7.00,	\$49.00
Perham Corner School, Jennie B. Menut, 9 weeks, at \$7.00,	63.00
Johnson Corner School, Annie M. Curtis, 8 weeks, at \$7.00,	56.00
	———— \$336.00

## JANITORS.

Paid C. and G. Warren, Center,	\$3.00
C. and G. Warren, Center,	3.00
C. and G. Warren, Center,	1.75
Harry Barden, South,	3.00
Harry Barden, South,	1.75
Charlie Cheever, South,	3.50
Roland Eastman, Southwest,	3.00
Roland Eastman, Southwest,	3.00
Roland Eastman, Southwest,	1.75
Abbie E. Kendall, Perham Corner,	2.75
Nellie Brown, Perham Corner,	3.00
Jennie B. Menut, Perham Corner,	2.25
Ethel Shepard, Johnson Corner,	2.75
Robert Shepard, Johnson Corner,	3.00
Fred Shepard, Johnson Corner,	2.00
Eugenie B. Florentine, North,	2.75
Ethel F. Douglass, North,	2.25
	———— \$44.50

## CONVEYING PUPILS.

Paid F. O. Baxter,	\$6.00
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## TUITION.

Paid Town of Greenfield,	\$5.50
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## CLEANING.

Paid for cleaning house, Center,	\$3.50
for cleaning vault twice, Center,	2.00
for washing floor, Center,	1.50
for cleaning house and vault, South,	3.00
for putting room in order and sweeping, South,	.50

Paid for cleaning house and vault, Southwest,	\$3.00
for cleaning vault and chimney, Southwest,	1.00
for cleaning house and vault, Per- ham Corner,	2.50
for cleaning house and vault, John- son Corner,	3.00
for putting room in order and sweeping, North,	.50
for cleaning vault, North,	1.00
	— \$21.50

## FUEL.

Paid for fuel and cutting same, Center,	\$12.65
for fuel and cutting same, South,	11.65
for fuel and cutting same, Southwest,	11.65
for fuel and cutting same, Per- ham Corner,	17.00
for fuel and cutting same, John- son Corner,	12.50
for fuel and cutting same, North,	9.50
	— \$74.95

## MISCELLANEOUS BILLS.

Paid Ella R. Holt, curtains, 6 at 25c.,	\$1.50
Ella R. Holt, clock,	.85
Ella R. Holt, glass and setting,	.75
E. R. Warren, painting and paper- ing at Center,	7.02
Mrs. Clarence Lowe, board of Viola Holden to attend school in Greenfield, 12 weeks, at \$1.00,	12.00
Sanborn, clock,	.95
Ella R. Holt, wash dish,	.25
Ella R. Holt, broom and pail,	.60
Ella R. Holt, broom,	.30
A. S. Conant, repairs at South Lyndeborough,	3.75

Paid Ella R. Holt, damper and funnel,	\$0.75
Ella R. Holt, repairs at South Lyndeborough,	.75
Ella R. Holt, hanging curtains,	.50
Ella R. Holt, broom, pail and dipper,	.55
Ella R. Holt, repairs on clock,	.25
A. M. Chase, pens, pencils, broom, damper,	1.25
	— \$32.02

## SUMMARY.

Amount paid out,	\$1,486.97
Amount in treasurer's hands February 15, 1907,	33.29
Received from town treasurer,	\$1,400.00
Tuition of W. A. Howard,	4.80
Received from Clintie Duncklee for wood,	1.00
Received from state equalization fund,	102.93
Amount on hand February 15, 1906,	11.53
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	\$1,520.26
	\$1,520.26

## SUPPLIES.

American Book Company, 72 American Word Books, 7 dozen Eclectic Drawing Books, 18 Elementary Physiologies, 36 Intermediate Physiologies,	\$43.44
Books exchanged,	1.27
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	\$42.17
Edward Babb & Company, general school supplies,	\$35.02
Benjamin H. Sanborn & Company, 12 First Lessons in numbers,	2.20
Ginn & Company, Botanies,	21.00
Leavenworth & Company, Outline maps,	24.00
R. E. Lane, enumeration cards,	.48
Silver, Burdett & Company, Grammars,	6.20

Benjamin Sanborn & Company, Complete Arith-	
metics,	\$9.75
Expense, freight and postage,	5.91
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	\$146.73

## REPAIR FUND.

Cash on hand March 1, 1906,	\$7.45
Paid E. K. Warren for repairs on Center	
school buildings.	\$7.45
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	\$7.45      \$7.45

## REPORT OF COMMITTEE

## ON REPAIRS OF SCHOOL HOUSE IN DISTRICT No. 4, FOR 1906.

Money received from town treasurer,	\$75.00
Paid D. Whiting & Sons for 12 M shingles,	\$48.00
C. H. Senter, laying shingles,	15.00
W. C. Wilder, drawing shingles,	2.40
J. G. Carlton, lumber,	1.75
for dressing lumber and expense,	1.00
C. H. Dodge, for nails and bolts,	2.26
C. H. Dodge, curtains,	1.50
Telephone,	.10
Eaves spout,	.32
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	\$72.33
Balance in hands of committee,	2.67
	_____
	\$75.00

C. H. SENTER,  
Committee.

This certifies that I have examined the foregoing report of the treasurer of the school board and committee on repairs, and find them correctly cast and properly vouched.

WALTER S. TARBELL,  
Auditor.

## VITAL STATISTICS.

To the SELECTMEN of LYNDEBOROUGH: In compliance with an act of the Legislature passed June session, 1877, requiring "clerks of towns and cities to furnish a transcript of the records of births, marriages and deaths to the municipal officers for publication in the annual reports," I submit the following:

### BIRTHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF LYNDEBOROUGH FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1906.

Date of Birth.	Name of the child (if any).	Sex and condition.			Name of father.	Maiden name of mother.	Birthplace of father.	Birthplace of mother.
		Male.	Female.	No. born.				
		Living.	Stillborn.	Color.			Color of parent.	Birthplace of parent.
Jan. 6	William W.....	M.	F.	9	W. Marshall B. Richards.....	Addie A. Burton.....	W. Physician.....	Boston, Mass.....
"	Dorothy Agnes.....	.....	.....	3	Willard Rose.....	Maggie M. Chure.....	Farmer.....	Lyndeborough.....
Feb. 2	Alice L.....	.....	.....	7	Walter S. Baker.....	Elizabeth M. Baker.....	Farmer.....	Nova Scotia.....
Mar. 3	Isabelle F.....	.....	.....	6	Willard N. Merrill.....	Carrie M. Holt.....	Carpenter.....	Salt Lake City.....
"	Doris C.....	.....	.....	1	Lincoln N. Woodward.....	Bertha G. Perham.....	Farmer.....	Dorchester, Mass.....
Apr. 7	Harold.....	.....	.....	2	Charles H. Rich.....	Mary L. Hebert.....	Laborer.....	Lowell, Mass.....
"	Edwin H.....	.....	.....	1	James A. G. Putnam.....	K. Frances Putnam.....	Farmer.....	Needham, Mass.....
May 16	Everett F.....	.....	.....	1	John F. Upton.....	Mary E. Butterfield.....	Farmer.....	Lyndeborough.....
June 5	Wesley M.....	.....	.....	1	Levi W. Hadley.....	Bearice E. Bartley.....	Mont Vernon.....	Troy, N. Y.....
Aug. 17	Lester.....	.....	.....	1	Brooks G. Cook.....	Eva M. Raynolds.....	Mechanic.....	New Boston.....
Sept. 9	Ella G.....	.....	.....	6	William C. Wilder.....	Adria Holt.....	Farmer.....	Lyndeborough.....
Oct. 30	Arthur L.....	.....	.....	1	Thomas B. Edwards*.....	Mabel L. Eastman*.....	Machineist.....	Lyndeborough.....
Dec. 4	Stephen O.....	.....	.....	1	Austin Holt.....	Mary Colwar.....	Farmer.....	Lyndeborough.....

\* Residence of parents, Springfield, Vt.

I hereby certify that the above return is correct, according to the best of my knowledge and belief.

EDGAR A. DANFORTH, Town Clerk.

MARRIAGES REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF LYNDEROUGH FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1906.

Date of marriage.	Place of marriage.	Name and surname of groom and bride.	Residence of each at time of marriage.	Age.	Color.	Occupation of groom and bride.	Place of birth of each.	Names of parents.	Birthplace of parents.	Occupation.	Name, residence and official station of person by whom married.
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June 19	Medford, Mass.	Frank E. Reynolds..... Elizabeth A. Plympton.....	Lyndeborough New Dorchester, Ms.	49 35	W. “	Farmer... Clerk.....	Ashburnham, Mass., Waltham, Mass., Olive S.....	John J. Reynolds, Mary F. Brown,... Ebenezer Plympton,... Mass.,	Canada,... Maine,... Bedford, Ms., New York.....	Farmer,... Bedford, Ms., New York.....	Rev. W. S. Woodbridge, Medford, Mass.

I hereby certify that the above return is correct, according to the best of my knowledge and belief.

EDGAR A. DANFORTH, Town Clerk.

DEATHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF LYNDEROUGH FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1906.

Date of death.	Name and surname of the deceased.	Age. Years, Months, Days.	Place of birth.	Sex and condition.		Occupation.	Place of birth.		Name of father.	Maiden name of mother.
				Sex.	Color.		Place	of birth.		
Jan. 26	Bitta M. S. Joslin	46..12	Lyndeborough	F.	W.	Housekeeping	Lyndeborough	Lyndeborough	Jonathan Stephenson	Emily Woodward.
Feb. 4	Ida B. Johnson Bishop	53 6 ..	"	"	"	"	"	Epsom	Joseph A. Johnson	Mary L. Stephenson.
" 16	John C. Miller	74 1 26	Mont Vernon	M.	"	Farmer	"	"	Eliphilet P. Miller	Mary Clark.
" 18	Wallace L. Smith	62 .. 1	Belfast, Me.	M.	"	Wool Sorter	Mont Vernon	..	Lewis W. Smith	Cynthia W. Mitchell.
" 27	James Colson	71 6 2	Lyndeborough	M.	"	Mechanic	Charlestown	Lyndeborough	Caled Colson	Charles Holt.
Mar. 31	William L. Holt	65 5 24	Lyndeborough	M.	"	Farmer	Wolboro	Lisbon	Anna Perham.	Anna Perham.
April 6	Doreas Colson	64 8 10	Laurencetville, Can.	F.	"	Housekeeper	Wolboro	[Ms. Lisbon]	Samuel S. Libby	Mehitable Smith.
May 12	Augusta S. Ross*	53 6 28	Milford	F.	"	"	"	"	Peter Shedd	Mary Blunt.
" 25	Beliance Farnsworth	86 3 3	Middlebury, Mass.	M.	"	"	"	"	Solomon Reed	"
" 25	Amos W. Barden	58 4 20	Shodford	M.	"	Farmer	"	"	Jones Barden	Betsey Whitney.
June 1	Clara Brown	78 .. 10	Milford	F.	"	Housekeeper	Milford	Lyngboro	Jacob Brown	Jones Barden.
Aug. 31	Allen E. Brown	6 12	Woburn, Mass.	M.	"	"	Lyndeborough	Woburn, Mass.	Albert E. Brown	Bessie B. Ashbee.
Sept. 22	Eva M. Dicey	1 13	Lyndeborough	F.	"	"	Grafton	Alexandria	Mabel A. Folson.	William Dicey.
Oct. 16	Ann W. Raymond	89 2 3	Amherst	F.	"	Housekeeper	Amherst	Amherst	Abram Boutwell	Nancy Brown.
Dec. 17	William B. Raymond	88 2 27	Carlisle, Mass.	M.	"	Farmer	Danvers	Danvers	William Raymond	Daniel Proctor.
Dec. 30	John Proctor	78 11 26	Danvers, Mass.	M.	"	Cabinet maker	Dublin	Dublin	Mary Perry.	"

\* Died in Nashua

I hereby certify that the above return is correct, according to the best of my knowledge and belief.

EDGAR A. DANFORTH, Town Clerk.



